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## PATENT APPLICATION

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In re Application of:

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PERFORMING LOTTERY TICKET TRANSACTIONS UTILIZING POINT-OF-SALE TERMINALS

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## REFERENCES LOCATED BY PREEXAMINATION SEARCH

Pursuant to MPEP 708.02 (VIII) (d), Applicants hereby submit, in support of their Petition to Make Special, one copy of each of the references deemed most closely related to the subject matter encompassed by the claims in the above-captioned application. Copies of the following references are attached:

- (1) U.S. Patent 4,993,714 (Golightly)
- (2) U.S. Patent 5,216,595 (Protheroe)
- (3) U.S. Patent 5,239,165 (Novak).
- (4) U.S. Patent 5,119,295 (Kapur)
- (5) U.S. Patent 4,815,741 (Small)
- (6) "Opinion: X-Press Betting," La Fieur's Lottery
  World, February 7, 1997, page 4

• (7) "Save the Mark," Financial Times, February 1, 1983.

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